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FOR RENT.

\$17.00—7 room, modern brick residence in first-class condition, repair, &c.

\$10.00—8 room adobe, shingle roof, city water.

WANTED—Houses to rent. We are having many inquiries by letter and in person for modern cottages of 3 to 6 rooms.

FURNISHED.

\$22—4 large rooms, furnished. \$17—all of first story, four large rooms, furnished.

FOR SALE.

\$500—5 rooms, modern adobe cottage, shingle roof, bay-window, 2 porches, large garden, 35 fruit trees, city water, stable, &c.

\$250—new 4 room adobe cottage, iron and composition roof, garden, fruit, stable, &c.

\$100—160 acres, 39 miles from Denver, Colo., fenced, house, spring, well, farming land, hay land, grass land, outside range. Will exchange for Socorro property.

\$100—10 acres bottom land, under ditch, 3-4 mile from postoffice Socorro.

\$600—5 acres, house, barn, fruit, well and wind mill, city water etc., close in.

\$225.00—3 room, adobe house, 2 rooms new, tar roof, 2 acres, fenced, fruit, shade trees, stable, city water.

\$350—40 acres, more or less, bottom land, fenced, under ditch, one mile from Socorro county court house.

\$350—160 acres, patented stock ranch, never failing water, foot hills San Mateo mountains, good cattle, horse, sheep or goat ranch.

\$1,300—Modern cottage, brick finish, repair as good as new, beautifully furnished, two porches, large and handsome grounds, tin roof, city water and well, nicely furnished throughout, fine piano.

\$1,500—7 room, adobe dwelling, shingle and iron roof, city water in house and grounds, house well and substantially furnished, including one grand square Emerson piano, 3 acres, 315 fancy assorted fruit trees in bearing, 228 fancy assorted grape vines in bearing, 25 ornamental trees, shade trees, shrubs, bulbs, roses, strawberries, etc., close in.

\$7,500 paid net \$2,500 in 1890. 80 acres 9 miles from county seat, 3/4 mile to post office, one mile to station, including 7 acres prunes, 7 acres peaches, 6 acres apples, plums &c., all in bearing. 35 acres alfalfa, all fenced and cross-fenced. Good home, large barn and out buildings, best of soil, no alkali, good water right on one of the best of aqueducts; steam pump with abundance of water in case of necessity. Will sell all or part, will take part trade, stock of goods, live stock &c. Also 100 acres adjoining the above will be sold if desired.

\$1,000—30 acres, more or less bottom land, 5 acres above aqueduct with first class well, wind mill pump, horse power pump, large rock cement tank, 4 room new adobe, 2 room old adobe house, well and hand pump, new corral, stable and hay barn, chicken house, bee house, wagon shed, 350 assorted fruit trees mostly Ben Davis apples set out five years, 1000 grape vines and about 2000 sprouts; balance of land is below aqueduct, much of it adapted to growing grass, hay, alfalfa without cost of irrigation, all fenced with three and four wires, 2 native mares, 2 American mules, 2 sets double harness, farm wagon, mowing machine, horse rake, plow and all other implements and tools on the place.

One span horses, set harness and side saddle.

100—two year old steers, 65—long yearling steers, 75 percent white faces.

116—heifers—ones and twos.

100—cows, twos up, northern New Mexico.

45—early calves.

Undivided—1/2 interest in general merchandise business, good paying mining and ranch trade. Notwithstanding live stock matters are quiet, we are receiving inquiries about same.

Tell us what you have for sale. It costs you nothing if not benefited.

HARRIS & SMITH,
SOCORRO, N. M.

STOCKMEN ASSEMBLE

The Cattle and Horse Protective Association of Central New Mexico Convened in Magdalena.

The Cattle and Horse Protective Association of Central New Mexico held its first annual meeting at Magdalena Friday, the 14th instant. There was a large attendance, business of importance was transacted, much interest and even enthusiasm was manifested in the proceedings, and the meeting was pronounced a success in every way. The association was organized a year ago for the purpose of promoting the interests of cattle and horse raisers in this section of the territory. The good already accomplished amply justifies the organization of the association.

Following is a list of the members of the association who were present at the meeting: Frank F. Smith, of Smith & Ewing, and Frank M. Dodds, of F. M. Dodds & Son, Monticello; Chas. Gatlin, Jas. W. Medley, E. A. Clemens, Sam'l Locke, J. M. Allen & Son, Wm. Gardiner, James S. Mactavish, and Wm. H. Sanders of W. H. Sanders & Son, Magdalena; Jerdan Rogers, San Marcial; N. A. Field, and Rob't H. Wylie, Burley; C. F. Blackington, G. Biavaschi of Biavaschi & Gianera, and Abran Abeyta, Socorro; A. Kiehne, Frisco; John W. Cox, Datil; Jas. Patterson and H. T. Maybery, Patterson; Antonio Tappero, Kelly; and Victorio Escobedo. Thirteen others were represented by proxy. New members were admitted as follows: Abran Abeyta, Victorio Escobedo, Jas. Patterson, H. Williams, and H. E. Adams. Also many new applications were filed.

A pamphlet issued by the association contains the following paragraph:

The admission of other cattle and horse men who believe in the principles of the Association will be cordially welcomed and the present members can advance the interests of themselves and of the organization greatly by inducing another reputable neighbor or responsible cattle man to join. The executive committee elected for the year 1902 is as follows: Jas. W. Medley, chairman; Chas. Gatlin, treasurer; E. A. Clemens, secretary; Frank F. Smith, A. E. Rouiller, A. Kiehne, and Wm. Gardiner. The association seeks to accomplish its purpose by ridding the country of rustlers, improving the breed of stock, attracting buyers, and by such other means as may be practicable. The fact that a dozen or more cattle rustlers have already sought a safer field for their operations is an indication, merely, of the good that this association is to accomplish hereafter.

NOTES.

James Patterson is again in the cattle business and has joined the Association.

Wolves are finding their lot, like the policeman's, not a happy one. H. T. Maybery has killed eleven of the brutes on the west end of the San Augustine plains since December 5, and "Wolver" Wittenberg has disposed of six in the Gallinas district in the same period.

Jordan Rogers and his charming wife came up from San Marcial to attend the meeting and enjoy the festivities.

Rob't H. Wylie cut his California visit short and returned home in time to be present at the conference and session.

Nat Straw, the champion bear hunter of the world, was on his way east but "laid over" to regale his friends in the Association with an entirely new repertoire of original stories.

Wm. H. Sanders delighted an appreciative crowd during the evening in parlor A of the Allen House with a fine rendering of some phonograph selections recently secured in California.

The appointment of Sam'l Locke to the inspectorship of the seventh district met with many expressions of approval from cattlemen present.

Sheriff Blackington laid over a day, took in the meeting and all free for all events in his usual breezy manner, and then started west on a flying trip with a pocketful of warrants for the arrest of trespassing sheepmen.

H. S. Van Slyck, representing the live stock department of the Santa Fe, appeared upon the scene. Information afforded by him on transportation and marketing questions added much to the day's program.

Members all reported the winter most favorable for cattle, and stock in good condition.

The west end of the San Augustine plains and vicinity were reported overrun with tramp sheep from Las Vegas, Santa Fe, &c., belonging to Iflett, Padilla, Chavez, and other public spirited patrons of Socorro county's free range. This report led to a liquid air display of unusual merit on part of interested cattlemen and county officials.

The day wound up with a dance for the young set in the K. of P. hall. At midnight an elaborate supper was served at Allen's by the new chef, "Chinese Charlie."

Socorro sporting men were in evidence with big bank rolls and were open for contracts on all speculative questions.

Joe Hilton's enlarged and newly furnished place afforded a continuous performance to those who wanted to see the elephant. At the close of the day's proceedings Joe's cash drawer fairly bulged.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Summary of Important Events Condensed from the Press Dispatches.

Miss Stone has been released.

Boer envoys are on their way to the United States on a political errand.

The Pope entered upon the twenty-fifth year of his pontificate Thursday.

Western Oklahoma was buried under from two to four feet of snow Thursday.

General Funston has entirely recovered from a second operation for appendicitis.

New England was visited by a terrific blizzard Tuesday, the worst of the winter.

Trans-Caucasia was visited last week by an earthquake by which 2,000 people perished.

A strike of gold and copper ore assaying \$260,000 to the ton is reported from Jicarilla, Lincoln county.

The Santa Fe has reduced its force in the Albuquerque shops by 200 men on account of slack business.

It is expected that Morgan O. Llewellyn will take charge of the office of surveyor general of New Mexico on March 1.

The United States senate has under consideration a measure for the establishment of a permanent census bureau.

The store of F. G. Davidson at Pinos Altos, Grant county, was burned to the ground Wednesday morning. Loss, \$9,000.

The house committee on territories resolved yesterday to recommend statehood for New Mexico and other territories.

Robert Crockett, son of David Crockett, hero of the Alamo, died Tuesday at Stuttgart, Arkansas, at the age of 70 years.

It is reported that the Cerrillos smelter has been blown in and will soon be operating to its full capacity of 100 tons a day.

A detachment of Scots Greys, one of Great Britain's crack dragoon regiments, was cut up by the Boers a few days ago at Klipdam.

Georgia was visited by the heaviest snow storm of the season Saturday, the fall in some localities measuring fifteen inches.

Some of the largest coal mines at Gallup have been closed down owing to the fact that oil has been substituted for coal on the roads west of Gallup.

Honorable J. W. Reynolds, territorial secretary, and H. B. Ferguson, ex-delegate to congress, have just returned from Washington. Both gentlemen express grave doubts that New Mexico will be made a state during this session of congress.

They are of the opinion that the house favors but the senate opposes the measure.

OF HOME INTEREST.

Baseball this afternoon.

Fresh eggs 25c doz. at Byerts.

Ducks are quite numerous along the river.

Prof. C. L. Herrick registered at the Windsor this morning.

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Col. E. A. Levy arrived in town yesterday morning from El Paso.

Some early fruit trees in Socorro and vicinity have bloomed this week.

Jim Willerton was in from Water Canyon yesterday greeting his friends.

Ernest Harrison arrived in the city yesterday morning from Silver City.

Hon. Frank A. Hubbell of Albuquerque was a guest at the Windsor Monday.

Charles B. Adams of Datil was appointed notary public by Governor Otero yesterday.

John F. Fullerton arrived in town Wednesday from his ranch west of Magdalena.

Hon. H. M. Dougherty was absent from the city Tuesday on professional business.

Fruit growers are expressing grave fears that the early fruit will be nipped in the bud.

Oscar Redeman of Magdalena registered among the guests of Landlord Yunker yesterday.

Lou Terry recently had the good fortune to kill a mountain lion out in the Black Range.

Hon. Solomon Luna came in from his sheep ranges in the western part of the county this morning.

The tennis club extends to those interested in the game an invitation to present themselves for membership.

J. N. Broyles vs. Star Grocery Co. et al, account, is the title of a case filed in the office of the district clerk this week.

Harry Patterson of Magdalena came down on Thursday's train. He expected to do some carpenter work for G. Biavaschi.

Max B. Fitch registered at the Windsor Tuesday morning on his way home from a visit of several weeks in California.

H. A. Buckley and family left Monday morning for Las Vegas. They expect to return to Socorro to reside in a month or two.

Chas. Gause came down this morning from his cattle ranch near Las Vegas. Mr. Gause will be in the city several days.

The prospects are bright for the organization of a military company in Socorro. The preliminaries are almost completed.

S. T. Reynolds of New York City arrived in Socorro Wednesday and will remain for a time as the guest of Ross McMillan.

Doctor L. E. Kittrell has been in Magdalena for several days on professional business. He expects to return to Socorro Monday.

Adam Emig arrived in town Saturday from El Paso for a visit of a week or ten days. Mr. Emig spent the first of the week in the mountains.

Mrs. A. F. Katzenstein returned home Monday morning from a visit of two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Tabacchi of Clifton, Arizona.

Ross McMillan, J. B. Squires, and S. T. Reynolds left this morning for a ten days' wagon trip to the San Andreas and Sacramento mountains.

The records of the circuit court this week show in the case of Seaman Field vs. Dan'l A. Bechtol the sale of certain real estate in Mogollon confirmed.

Price Bros. & Co. are now offering their winter stock at greatly reduced prices. Read their ad. in another column. Now is the time to buy.

The Palace Saloon furniture, said to be as fine as any in the territory, is now being put in place. Liles & Torres expect to conduct a first class establishment.

For sale: One Smith-Premier typewriter, stand and extras; one flat top desk; one cylinder desk; one book case; one iron safe; other office furniture. Apply to J. P. Chase.

It is expected that the San Antonio base ball nine will be up tomorrow to play the winners of today's game. The San Antonio club are reported to play good ball.

The El Paso News says that Thomas Dorsey, formerly of the Bank of Socorro, also the Windsor hotel in the Gem city, is doing a satisfactory real estate business in El Paso.

Joseph Price, senior member of the firm of Price Bros. & Co., is recovering from an illness of two weeks duration during which he was confined to his bed the greater part of the time.

Workmen are busily engaged setting out trees on the School of Mines campus. When these trees have taken on a little growth the campus will present a most attractive appearance.

The Territorial School of Mines at Socorro is in a prosperous condition. The attendance this winter is increased and Prof. Jones is hopeful of the future of the institution.—Albuquerque Citizen.

A. F. Brown of San Francisco, general agent for the California Powder company, was in town Thursday on his regular biennial visit to audit the accounts of C. T. Brown, who is the company's local agent.

Doctor C. F. Adams of West Union, Iowa, arrived in Socorro Thursday morning and is a guest of his father-in-law, Mr. W. Philips, and family. Mrs. Adams has been in the city several weeks.

A. B. Richmond is now employed at a smelter in Mexico at a salary of \$200 a month in American gold coin. Mr. Richmond spent several months at the School of Mines to fit himself for the work he is now doing.

C. T. Brown received notice Thursday of his election as a member of the executive board of the International Miners' Association to represent New Mexico. This act is a fitting tribute to Mr. Brown's standing as a mining man.

In the circuit court Hon. J. R. McFie, acting for Hon. Dan'l H. McMillan, this week entered final judgment in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Simon Sanders & Co. vs. Chas. B. Bruton for collection of a note of \$142.50.

H. C. Medley and L. V. Medley came down on the Magdalena train Tuesday to meet their brother T. W. Medley, who had been in Houston, Texas, since September 1 in attendance upon the Massey business college. All returned home Wednesday morning.

Hon. W. E. Martin is in the city today greeting his many friends. Mr. Martin came up from San Antonio this morning having in charge a trusty who took Scotch leave of the penitentiary last July and was arrested a few days ago while at work on Charlie Bruton's ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodds came down Saturday from the meeting of the stock association at Magdalena to visit their daughter, Miss Lilly, who is attending Mt. Carmel convent. They expected to return home Monday but were delayed a day or two by a slight illness of their daughter.

Miss Maybelle Kerr, who had been a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Professor and Mrs. F. A. Jones, since September, departed Monday morning for her home in Missouri. Miss Kerr was highly esteemed by the young people of Socorro and her departure is much regretted. Professor Jones accompanied her as far as Albuquerque.

Miss Pearl Helfrich, who was in Socorro two or three weeks as the guest of her cousin Mrs. Oliver R. Smith, left Tuesday morning for her home in Bowling Green, Ohio. Miss Helfrich was in the city but a short time, though long enough to make everybody who was fortunate enough to make her acquaintance wish that she might stay longer.

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder

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PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER

Awarded
Highest Honors, World's Fair
Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair

C. T. Brown's well known horse Frank succumbed to age Sunday morning. For thirteen years this faithful animal had been in almost constant service on the bus, wearing out half a dozen other horses. A few days before his death, however, he was given the freedom of the stable and corral, but he couldn't understand that he was off duty. When the bus was run out for use he promptly took his accustomed place beside the pole and tried by biting and kicking to drive away the animal that was brought to take his place.

Mine Sale.

It is reported that P. J. Savage has just sold two mining claims in the Caballo mountains to the Abby Mining company for \$8,000 cash. This company is becoming quite a factor in New Mexico mining circles. In one of its mines the shaft at the 100-foot level shows a vein two feet wide running 12 per cent copper, 20 ounces of silver, and 1/2 ounce of gold. A large flow of water has been encountered, however, and the company is figuring on putting in a pumping plant.

Robert S. Kutzner.

Robert Simington Kutzner died at his home in Stanberry, Mo., Thursday, January 30, 1902, aged 50 years, 7 months and 10 days. In 1883 deceased married Miss Nannie A. Fullerton in St. Louis. Mrs. Kutzner will now make her home in Socorro with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fullerton. Mr. Kutzner spent several months in this city about seven years ago and was very much esteemed by all who made his acquaintance.

Killed by the Train.

Maria Vallegos, a woman about fifty years of age, was killed at Lemitar Wednesday morning while attempting to board a moving passenger train. As near as could be found out Mrs. Vallegos was struck by the train in quite rapid motion and thrown some distance, her head striking against some hard substance and being bruised so badly that death resulted almost instantly.

Pasturing of Sheep on Forest Reserves.

This week the secretary of the interior announced that during the coming season ending on August 21, there will be permitted 250,000 sheep on the Gila forest reserve, 50,000 of which are to belong to settlers on the reserve. The secretary does not restrict the number of horses or cattle as he maintains that they do no injury to the reserves.

Progressive High Five.

The Rathbone Sisters will give a progressive high five party in their hall Monday evening, February 24, the game beginning promptly at 8 o'clock. Two winners prizes and two consolation prizes will be awarded. Refreshments consisting of ice-cream and cake will be furnished free. Admission, 25 cents each.

Convention of Federation of Women's Clubs.

At Los Angeles, May 1-8, 1902. Tickets on sale April 23 to 28 inclusive to Los Angeles or San Francisco at \$35 for the round trip. Return limit, June 25.

Thos. Jaques,
Santa Fe Agt.

THE CHIEFTAIN office is now supplied with a line of ladies' fancy stationery. Those who need anything in that line will find it to their advantage to call.